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To whom it may concern:

I am an avid fan of XM satellite radio, and I am also a fan of local broadcast stations. I listen to both throughout the day... I do not happen to be in a locality that XM offers weather or traffic reports for, but one thing I don't understand is why does the NAB feel so threatened by XM? It seems to me, like it is just the way business goes, you have competition, and that's what drives you to better your product, or service so that you are more appealing than the other guy. Who in turn, does the same, thus the cycle of business competition! I think the NAB's petition 04-160 is fruitless, and should not be allowed to go any further. If I could stop all my competitors from offering services that I offer, I would be a very rich man right now!! XM is a pay service, and I feel that I am getting a very good service for my money. Please do not let this petition pass, it would ruin all that America stands for, the right for freedom of speech, and free competition!!!
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